

COLCHESTER (COLCHESTER DIVISION) PORT HEALTH AUTHORITY

Annual Report of the Medical Officer of Health for 1965.

Table A. Staff. No changes. Section 1.

Table B. Shipping entering the Port during the year.

<u>Ships from</u>	<u>No.</u>	<u>Tonnage</u>	<u>Inspected by M.O.H.</u>	<u>Inspected by Port Health Inspector.</u>
Foreign Ports	486	73381	Nil	2
Coastwise	2626	223450	Nil	68
	3112	296831	Nil	70

Number having had infectious disease on board: Nil

Table C Passenger traffic inwards and outwards: 40

Cargo traffic: Principal imports - Clay, coal, timber and woodboards,
petrol, corn, vegetables and
fertilisers.

Principal exports - Gravel, sand, barley and machinery.

Principal ports from which ships arrive -
London, Newcastle, Fur (Denmark)
miscellaneous ports in Holland,
Finland, Sweden, Norway and Belgium.

Sections 4 - 8 inclusive. As previously.

Table D Section 9. Nil throughout.

Sections 10, 11 and 12. As in 1960, no changes.

Table E Nil throughout.

Table F. As for 1960

Table G Section 13. Inspection of ships for nuisances.

<u>Nature of Inspection</u>	<u>No.</u>	<u>Notices Served</u>		<u>Result of serving notice.</u>
		<u>Statutory</u>	<u>Informal</u>	
For sanitary defects	70	Nil	4	Repairs carried out
Rat infestation	70	Nil	Nil	
Water boats	Nil	Nil	Nil	

GENERAL REMARKS

Accommodation is generally satisfactory on the modern vessels but standards remain low in the older barge craft.

John D. Kershaw, M.D., D.P.H.,
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